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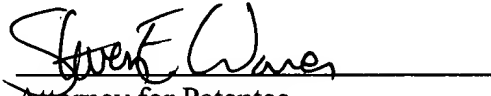
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In “Sheet 9 of 12,” “FIG. 9,” the leftmost reference numeral “29” should read -- 29b-- and the rightmost reference numeral “29” should read -- 29a --.

In “Sheet 10 of 12,” “FIG. 10,” the leftmost reference numeral “29” should read -- 29b-- and the rightmost reference numeral “29” should read -- 29a --.

COLUMN 10:

Line 19, “In” should read -- On --.

Line 22, “a twice” should read -- double the --.

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COLUMN 12:

Line 65, "tially" should read -- tially partial coherency --.

COLUMN 14:

Line 20, "tially" should read -- tially partial coherency --.

Line 49, "basis of the detection system on the" should be deleted.

OLUMN 17:

Line 34, "including" should read -- includes --.

Line 35, "fist" should read -- first --.

Line 43, "illuminating" should read -- illumination --.

Line 44, "illuminating" should read -- illumination --.

COLUMN 18:

Line 4, "said information pro-" should be deleted.

Line 5, "cessing system is arranged to measure the spherical wherein" should be deleted.

Line 8, "sight" should read -- light --.

Line 32, "a" should be deleted.

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COLUMN 19:

Line 6, "projection" should read -- projecting --.

COLUMN 20:

Line 9, "projection" should read -- projecting --.

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